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| | SCHWARTZKOPF |) | |
| Patent | Application No.: 10/634,595 |) | Group Art Unit: 1724 |
| | |) | Examiner: Hruskoci, Peter A. |
| Filed: | 08/04/2003 |)) | |
| For: | LIQUID FILTRATION APPARATUS AND |) | |
| | METHOD EMBODYING SUPER-BUOYANT FILTRATION PARTICLES |) | |
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Transmitted herewith is a response in the above identified application.

- () No additional fee is required.
- (X) An extension of a shortened statutory time for response under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is requested.
- (x) A verified statement under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.
 - () is enclosed.
 - (x) is of record in this application.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | | | | |
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| | Claims | Highest | | RATE | | Amount | | | |
| | Remaining Number Extra after Amend. Paid For | | Extra | Large Entity | Small Entity | | | | |
| No. of Claims in Excess of 20 | | | | 50.00 | 25.00 | | | | |
| Independent Claims in | | | | | | | | | |
| Excess of 3 | | | | 200.00 | 100.00 | | | | |
| First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims | | | | 360.00 | 180.00 | | | | |
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Respectfully submitted,

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